

Teach Minnesota trains diverse, effective teachers who are dedicated to fighting educational injustice and helping students reach their goals—
in the classroom and in life.

#### A CUTTING-EDGE PROGRAM

Based on a proven model that's trained nearly 40,000 teachers in 25 states, Teach Minnesota is one of the state's first alternative routes to certification—and your opportunity to join a cohort of talented professionals who are ready to change the game for students.

## **DIVERSE BY DESIGN**

Research shows that students benefit from a more diverse teacher workforce—especially students of color who have teachers of similar backgrounds. But while nearly one-third of Minnesota's students are people of color, only four percent of the state's teachers are people of color. Teach Minnesota aims to increase the number of teachers of color by 50 percent over the program's first few years.

# A COMMUNITY FOR EVERYONE

Across Minnesota, our schools are as multi-faceted as the communities they serve. You'll join a thriving community that takes pride in supporting each other's success: cheer for the Minnesota Twins at a baseball game, shop for local produce at the Mill City Farmer's Market and support the indigenous community at the Twin Cities American Indian Arts Festival.

## **ADVANCE EQUITY**

Minnesota's students have big dreams, and they need teachers who believe in them. Teach Minnesota Residents recognize and value the strengths of their students and the community, know that all students can achieve at high levels, and take initiative to help kids meet their goals. If you believe all students deserve access to challenging, meaningful content that gives them the power to own their life decisions, there's a classroom waiting for you.

### **ABOUT TEACH MINNESOTA**

Teach Minnesota is a one-year program for Elementary Residents and a two-year program for Special Education Residents. Teach Minnesota Residents who pass the summer, six-week Pre-Service Training will be eligible to teach on a Tier 2 license at the beginning of their first year. Teach Minnesota will license Residents in Elementary Education or Special Education ABS during the 2022-23 school year.

Total program cost for Residents is \$7,000. Special Education Residents will pay an additional \$1,500 in their second year. Once Residents complete all program and state requirements, they will be recommended for a Tier 3 license.

To be considered for the program, you must:

- Hold a bachelor's degree conferred by June 1, 2022, from an accredited institution
- Have a minimum undergraduate GPA of 2.25
- Meet all Minnesota state academic requirements
- Meet all legal requirements to work in the United States

Are you ready to help Minnesota students reach their goals?

